

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114(c)
U.S. Application No.: 10/022,896

REMARKS

Claims 1-13 are all the claims pending in the application.

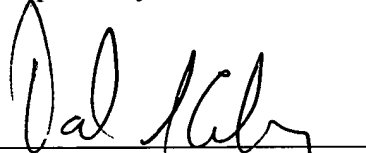
Claim 13 has been allowed.

Applicants have amended claims 1, 11 and 12 to more clearly recite that the plurality of different radiation wavelengths are produced by a single laser pump source. However, in Onaka, each source (LDx) produces only a single wavelength. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully submit that claims 1-12 are patentable over Onaka.

In view of the above, reconsideration and allowance of this application are now believed to be in order, and such actions are hereby solicited. If any points remain in issue which the Examiner feels may be best resolved through a personal or telephone interview, the Examiner is kindly requested to contact the undersigned at the telephone number listed below.

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